

arrival. Oswald was pronounced dead at 1:07 PM, November 24, 1963, by Dr. Tom Shires, Parkland Staff. Detectives J. R. Leavelle, Burgess, and I, along with Dr. Bieberdorf, rode in the ambulance with Oswald to Parkland. At the hospital I changed into operating room clothing and accompanied Oswald to the Operating Room and stood guard until he was pronounced dead.

The pistol I took from Jack Ruby was turned over to Capt. Fritz at Parkland Hospital.